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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of External Affairs

THROUGH : Chairman, National Intelligence Council


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1. On 12 October I briefed Tom Latimer and Michael O'Neal on why and towards what objective CIA had appointed an NIO for Narcotics. I also explained our general approach.

-- Within CIA, we stress strategic collection, analysis of financial flows, host government attitudes and crop production.

-- Within the Intelligence Community, we promote better coordination and a small number of interagency estimates.

2. O'Neal commented that [REDACTED] 25X1
might want to talk further with me about China.


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